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Chris Merritt, Preservation Officer Utah Division of State History 300 Rio Grande Salt Lake City, Utah 84101-1182

Subject: <u>Cultural Resources Concurrence Request</u>, Whitaker Construction Company, Salt Creek Quarry,

S/003/0088, Box Elder County, Utah

Dear Dr. Merritt:

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining has received a proposal from Whitaker Construction Company to conduct small mining operations in Section 13, Township 4 West, Range 10 North, Box Elder County, Utah. Enclosed with this letter are copies of the cultural resources survey report, the cover page, and the location map provided by the operator.

The survey for cultural resources found no significant resources within the area to be affected by the mine. This cultural resource survey included a significantly larger area than what is currently proposed for disturbance, but the company intends to expand the operation within the next few months. The survey includes the area into which they intend to expand.

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining has determined that there are no historic properties and requests your concurrence with this determination.

Thank you for your assistance. Please call me at 801-538-5261 if you have questions about this request.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: Location map, SHPO Cover page, and Survey report

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